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## MEN OF MILLIONS.

Americans who are Rolling in Boundless Wealth.

New York News.

The richest man in America, and nearly the richest man in the world, is William H. Vanderbilt. His fortune is set at about \$200,000,000. Next to him comes Jay Gould, who is reaching toward \$100,000,000. The immense estate of the Astors is worth much over \$50,000,000. Fortunes ranging from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 are almost common—so frequent, indeed, that the term "millions" has almost lost its immensity as a figure of speech, and is employed now where that of thousands used to be. Our fathers spoke of a man worth his hundreds of thousands, and we, the children, heard them with the same awe as that with which we listened to the description of the fabled treasures of a fairy tale. Our children to-day do not call a man rich unless he has passed the goal their grandfathers only considered in such names as the Rothschilds, who were regarded as types of a wealth no man would ever peer. Even David Jones, the brewer, who died last week worth \$10,000,000, did not receive a half-column obituary notice in any morning paper.

The man who wanted to make a census of the millionaires of New York for the year 1881 would almost need a whole newspaper to do it in. Their name is literally legion. There are scores of them whose wealth cannot be known, because it is invested in such a way that it is not required to pay taxes, and leaves no annual record of itself that can be arrived at. Denis Kearney called these men bloated bondholders, and they are, in so far as the latter clause is concerned. They are men who invest their accumulations in government bonds, draw the interest regularly, and add it to the principal, and so go on heaping up a monstrous capital with no labor on their part, and no expenditure except the original one. But they are lavish with their wealth in spite of all that may be said to the contrary, and that lavishness has made the name of New York a synonym for the open-handed beneficence which makes it a charity, science, arts and commerce the metropolis of the western hemisphere. Apart from the fluctuating fortunes of the speculative rich men, the Jim Koenes and his like, which may be millions to-day and thousands to-morrow, there are merchant princes and quiet men of fortune who, when they die, will leave wills to run into the seven figures, and make people wonder why they never heard of such rich men before.

Nor are these colossal capitals restricted to the metropolis. Cincinnati has several well-to-do people, although forty years ago she had but three who counted their fortunes by millions. These were Nicholas Longworth, who died in 1862, leaving about \$10,000,000, and Jacob Burnett and James Ferguson, who died in 1853, each leaving about \$2,000,000. Of the opulent people now residents of Cincinnati, David Sinton is said to be worth \$10,000,000; G. H. Shoenberger, \$5,000,000; A. D. Breed, \$5,000,000; estate of James W. Goff, \$5,000,000; estate of Oliver Perin, \$5,000,000; R. R. Springer, \$5,000,000; Joseph Longworth, \$5,000,000; estate of S. N. Pike, \$3,000,000; Emory Brothers, \$3,000,000; A. D. Bullock, Charles and John Kilgour, W. P. Hulbert, Samuel Fosdick, Wm. S. Groesbeck, Jacob Seasegood, Frieberg & Workum, John Shillitto's estate,

Timothy Kirby's estate, Robert Mitchell, S. M. Barrett, R. B. Cowler's estate, Samuel Wiggins's estate, Judge D. K. Esto's estate, J. C. Short's estate, Gen. James Taylor's estate, and R. B. Hoppie are each worth \$2,000,000, while the list of single millionaires is too numerous to mention.

Philadelphia, Chicago, Pittsburg, Boston, all make a similarly splendid showing in the matter of figures. Philadelphia and Boston are very much alike, in the fact that, though there are fewer millionaires in them in proportion to their population than there are in our other great cities, there are proportionately more men of solid fortune. That is to say, while the business man of New York and Chicago, having won his \$100,000, tries to double it, and, having doubled, to duplicate it again, the sober-sided citizens of the Hub and the Quaker city are content to settle when they find themselves at ease financially. It would quite start these conservative commercial persons to think of a collateral investment of from \$1,000,000 to \$6,000,000 in mines to get coal from to run iron foundries with capitals of much greater bulk, as a score of Pittsburg iron founders do, or to hold a reserve of \$2,000,000 for grain operations, like half a hundred Chicagoans.

Wheat from Walla Walla.

Willamette Farmer.

It is of some importance just now to know what surplus of wheat the different sections of this region will have for export. In round numbers we should place the surplus of western Oregon at 200,000 tons of wheat, and Mr. Muir, of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, furnishes us with estimate of the upper Columbia section, as follows: There has been stored in Walla-walla twelve thousand tons, and earlier in the season it was supposed that the country around had twelve thousand tons more that had not been hauled. Of this last, probably one-third has been since then fed to stock in severe weather, and that would make the total of wheat surplus for the Walla-walla country twenty thousand tons; add to this five thousand tons to come from other sections of the upper country, and the sum total is 25,000 tons; and at least 10,000 tons has already been brought down, so that 35,000 tons may be considered the actual surplus for the upper Columbia region in the harvest year of 1880-1. Whether this surplus will be actually exported is another question not easy to answer at present.

A nice lot of eastern oysters at Roscoe's, arrived yesterday by steamer Columbia. Call around. You will find them first class.

Mr. Frank Young of the I. X. L. store, will leave on the Columbia, for San Francisco on the 9th inst., to purchase spring stock. Orders left with him will receive careful attention.

For a first-class oyster stew, fry, pan-fry or fancy roast, go to Roscoe's on Main street, opposite N. Loeb's. Families supplied by the hundred or the sack, opened or in the shell.

Cannermen would gain much by leaving us their orders for incidental printing now to be done leisurely during the winter months—saving time and money, and avoiding the risks of a spring rush of work.

Campaign is over and those who were up in arms against each other in the political tussle now join hands and march to the drugists for a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. See advertisement.

John Rogers has just received at the Central market a large invoice of coal oil, assorted brands, and for sale at reduced rates. He also keeps a general assortment of groceries, liquors, tobacco, cigars, fruits and vegetables of best quality, which he offers at small profit for cash.

Warranty deeds, quit claim deeds and mortgages, for sale at this office.

## Horse Education.

In something written we have an indistinct recollection of having made reference to a general disposition among boys in their teens, as well as boys of maturer years, to enlighten and bless the world with their profound knowledge of the horse and his history. Our books and newspapers are full of this kind of literature, and it varies in style from the production of the child at school, commencing with: The horse has four legs and a tail; up to the eloquent tribute of the scholar when he quotes from Job: That his neck is clothed with thunder and the glory of his nostrils is terrible. He smelleth the battle afar off, the thunder of the captains and the shouting. Between these two extremes of the child at his first school composition, and the professional literature, we have every grade of pretension, and each professing to have mastered the whole subject. As we approach the close of this nineteenth century, we begin to look for something better in this department of knowledge from those who assume to instruct. And it is to be found in Kendall's Treatise on the horse, sent by mail to any person for twenty-five cents, postage paid. Apply to The Astorian office, or address D. C. Ireland, Astoria, Oregon.

Some say that it is no use for them to advertise, that they have been in the place in business all their lives, and everybody knows them. Such people seem to forget to take in consideration that our country is increasing in population nearly 40 per cent. every ten years, and no matter how old the place may be, there are constant changes taking place; some move to other parts, and strangers fill their places. In this age of the world, unless the name of a business firm is kept constantly before the public, some new firm may start up, and, by liberal advertising, in a very short time take the place of the older ones, and the latter rust out, as it were, and be forgotten. No man ever lost money by judicious advertising.

By a recent postal decision men can actually make money by getting their bills and statements of accounts printed. Statements of accounts and bills of sale when made out on paper having printed headings, can be sent by mail for one cent, if the envelope is left unsealed; whereas, if it is made out on unprinted paper, it will cost three cents. Thus by patronizing THE ASTORIAN two cents can be saved on every bill or statement that is sent out through the mail.

Marvel not that I say unto you, ye must pay the printer. Whoever neglects to pay the printer, hath not eternal life abiding in him. Who hath sorrow, who hath we, who hath the nightmare? They who forget to render unto the printer his just dues. If a man live many years and payeth not for THE ASTORIAN, behold he shall not die in peace till he hath rendered to the printer that which he hath withheld.

The Astorian job presses will fit you out with your winter supplies of letter-heads, bill-heads, cards, envelopes, etc., etc., at astonishingly low rates, and in exquisite style. Call and see samples of work done for others.

Since the Chinese started to brew "cheap San Francisco beer" there is little or no demand for that article any more. Call for the Columbia brewery beer, if you want something good.

Gray's wood yard is now fitted up on the wharf foot of Benton street, and prepared to deliver wood to any part of the city sawed to any length, and full measure.

If you want a good big oyster stew in style, call around to Tom Smiths, next door to P. H. Fox, Main street Astoria, Oregon. Open at all hours.

For the best Beer in Astoria, call for the Columbia Brewery Beer, acknowledged to be superior to all others.

Have Wistar's balsam of wild cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, whooping cough, croup, influenza, consumption, and all throat and lung complaints. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle.

For the Genuine J. H. Cutter old Bourbon, and the best of wines, liquors, and San Francisco beer call at the Gem opposite the bell tower, and see Campbell.

All citizens of Oregon who desire to inform their friends in the states of the condition and progress of this state, can have no more complete and comprehensive volume of facts to send them than by subscribing for this journal, and having us mail it weekly to their friends. We mail it as directed. For \$5.00 in advance, we mail three copies of THE WEEKLY ASTORIAN one year.

There is not now any better news paper, nor one more consistently devoted to the building up of the country than THE ASTORIAN. At the price of Two Dollars per year it is the cheapest, as well as the best. With your aid and encouragement we shall be able to make further improvements to enhance its field of usefulness.

## Syphon Study Lamp.

Hon. I. W. Case, of Astoria, in placing the new Syphon study lamp on the market, would call the attention of the trade to some of its merits. Its illuminating qualities are not equalled by any study lamp in use. It gives a steady, brilliant light; is free from unpleasant odors; does not drip either when burning or not burning; easily lighted and trimmed, and is without exception, the most convenient lamp to fill ever made. Directions accompanying each lamp. Call upon Mr. Case and buy one. He sells them at remarkable low rates.

## Central Hotel.

The Central hotel, near the steamship dock is now open for the reception of guests, where the well known caterer, Mr. Anton Beloh will always be found ready to wait on his patrons. He has had the above named house thoroughly refitted by Messrs. Pike and Stockton, our well known artists. Call and see him, as he has the finest brands of liquors and cigars to be had in the city.

## Tin Plate, Pig Tin, Etc.

Geo. W. Hume keeps constantly on hand, and to arrive a full line of fishermens and cannery supplies, at prices which defy competition. Parties wishing groceries and those intending to run mess houses should inspect goods and obtain large discount from regular price.

## AMUSEMENTS.

### Hill's Varieties.

Geo. Hill, proprietor and manager, Fred Gere, stage manager, A. Ostrander, leader of orchestra, Geo. Lambert, leader of brass band—Entire change of programme this evening. Complete success of Miss Lou Baldwin and the entire company. To-night and until further notice the new play, entitled "The Bibbles" with the following cast of characters: Mrs. Barnaby Bibbs, Miss Lou Baldwin; Mrs. Benjamin Bibbs, Miss Mattie Morison; Mr. Benjamin Bibbs, Mr. Harry Staley; Mr. Barnaby Bibbs, Mr. Fred Gere. Nickerson in new fun, Morice in ballads, and the ladies in vocal gems. Price of admission remains the same. Nine people on the first part, and an exhibition equal to any on the coast. Mr. Hill invites criticism. Come and see for yourself. New orchestral selections and new music on the grand stand under the leadership of Mr. George Lambert at 8:30 P. M. The entertainment will begin at 7:30 P. M. Entrance on Benton street. Private boxes on Chenamus.

Bath tubs, water closets, sinks and hot water apparatus, furnished hotels and private residences, at lowest rates and shortest notice, by Magnus C. Crosby, at the little tin shop "round the corner."

Frank Faber has removed into Dr. Kinsey's building on Water street. On the road to the steamer dock from down town, before breakfast, it will now be handy to drop in and get a cup of coffee.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

### Notice.

I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND TO patients in Upper Astoria and outside of the city for the present.

AUG. C. KINNEY, M. D.

### Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Fair & Stockton is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

H. L. PIKE, C. H. STOCKTON.

Astoria, March 3, 1881.

### For Sale.

600 ACRES OF LAND IN CLATSOP County, fronting on the Columbia river, most of said land, composed of No. 1 timber land, some will make excellent farms, and a large tract is suitable for a first class ranch. For terms and etc., inquire of A. M. TWOMBLY.

### FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

WILL BE PAID FOR THE RECOVERY of the body of Andrew J. Kay, who was drowned at the time of the collision of the Oregon and Clatsop Clod. Deceased was about 5 feet 11 inches in height, light complexion, small mustache, and weighed about 100 pounds; had on at time of accident a light plaid coat, a black vest, a navy blue double-breasted shirt, a dark pair of jeans pants, and pair of leather boots. No. 2. Any one who may find or recover said body will call on or address GEO. T. KAY, owner Sixteenth and S street, Portland, Oregon, and receive above reward.

### \$80 Reward.

TWENTY DOLLARS WILL BE PAID FOR the recovery of each of the bodies of four Chinamen drowned in Columbia river near Brookfield on Wednesday last, while going from Pillar rock to Brookfield. One was twenty-one years of age, and had on his person at the time a creek of \$20 and seven dollars in silver. The second was twenty-three years old and had a pistol and seven dollars in silver. The third was twenty-four years old and had three twenty-dollar gold pieces, a twenty-five cent piece, and a silver watch. The fourth was twenty-eight years old and had \$15 in gold. The above rewards will be paid by the undersigned.

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ASTORIA, OREGON

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